

RICHMOND COUPLE WED IN NEW YORK

Miss Louise K. d. Becomes the Bride
of Mr. Henry Meanley—Friends
are Surprised.

The announcement of the marriage on Thursday in New York city of Miss Marie Louise K. d. of this city, to Mr. E. Henry Meanley, also of Richmond, will come in the nature of a surprise to their host of friends here.

The ceremony uniting these young people was performed at high noon of Thursday at the residence of the sister of the bride, Mrs. E. Y. Loomis, at Inwood-on-Hudson, New York city. Rev. Dr. Ennis, of Brooklyn, a close friend of Mrs. Loomis' family, was the officiating minister.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kidd, of this city. They reside at No. 706 East Leigh Street. Mr. Meanley is a traveling man, with headquarters in this city. He was born and reared here. Messrs. Blair Meanley, assistant treasurer of the Bijou Theatre, and P. Dean Meanley, commercial agent of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, are brothers of his.

The wedding of these young people has been in planning some time. But few persons besides their parents knew of their intentions. A little while ago it was decided as preferable for the young lady to go to the home of her sister, Mrs. Loomis, in New York, and that the ceremony should take place there. She went to New York a few days before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Meanley will spend the next ten days or two weeks in traveling in the north. They are then expected to return to the city soon after the first of the year. Their home will be on Grace Street near First.

BANKRUPTCY LAW.

Consensus of Opinion Favors a National Law.

(By Associated Press.)
CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Dec. 27.—The Executive Committee of the National Association of Bankruptcy Trustees, of which D. L. Grayson, of this city, is a member, has formally presented to Congress its report of investigation made to secure the sentiment of all sections of the country on the national bankruptcy law. The committee sent out 12,000 inquiries. The committee summarizes its report as follows:

"The actual result of our investigation appears to clearly demonstrate the following salient facts:

"That there is an almost unanimous sentiment throughout the country and among the leading commercial interests thereof favoring a uniform and national bankruptcy law.

"That such sentiment appears to exist to a like extent preferring a national system of bankruptcy to State insolvency systems.

"That there also appears to be a general consensus of opinion among those best qualified to pass upon the questions that the present law needs amendment in several important directions.

"That the amendments contained in the bill will appear to have received the favorable approval of the most important constituent commercial elements of the country.

"That concerning the questions involved in section 57 G of the present act arising by reason of the construction given to such section by the courts, attention should be given to the matter by Congress in the direction of endeavoring to adjust, if possible, the various interests involved and affected."

DIFFICULTIES ENDED.

Word Changed in Protocol Was Restored by Chilean Minister.

(By Associated Press.)
BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 27 (via Galveston, Texas).—It is generally admitted this evening that the difficulties between Argentina and Chile have been ended. It is true that a word in the protocol was changed before the text of the document was made public at Santiago, but Señor Portela, the Argentine minister, protested against the alteration, and the Chilean foreign minister promptly ordered a rectification to be made.

Ovation to Schley.

He Appeared at National Theatre and Was Largely Applauded.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 27.—Admiral Schley and ex-Secretary of the Navy Herbert occupied a box at the new National Theatre to-night to witness James K. Hackett and company in Don Caesar's Return. It was the first time the Admiral has been in a public place here since the verdict of the court of inquiry. The house was crowded, and when the Admiral appeared he was given an ovation, the applause lasting several minutes.

Featherweight Championship.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—"Jack" McKenna, Colorado, deposited a forfeit of \$100 to-day to bind a match between Abe Attel and Jerry McGovern for the featherweight championship of the world. McKenna stipulates that the boys shall meet at 122 pounds, the featherweight limit, the bout to take place regardless of the outcome of the coming bout between McGovern and Dave Sullivan.

Night School for Young Men.

The winter term of the evening college of the Young Men's Christian Association will begin Thursday, January 23. Now students will be admitted in any of the classes where there is room, if they can take the studies at points reached by the class; and, should be sufficient demand, new classes will be started in several studies.

There is at present an enrollment of over 200 in the school, and the indications are for a large growth during January. An association man was recently heard to say that "Richmond Association leads the South."

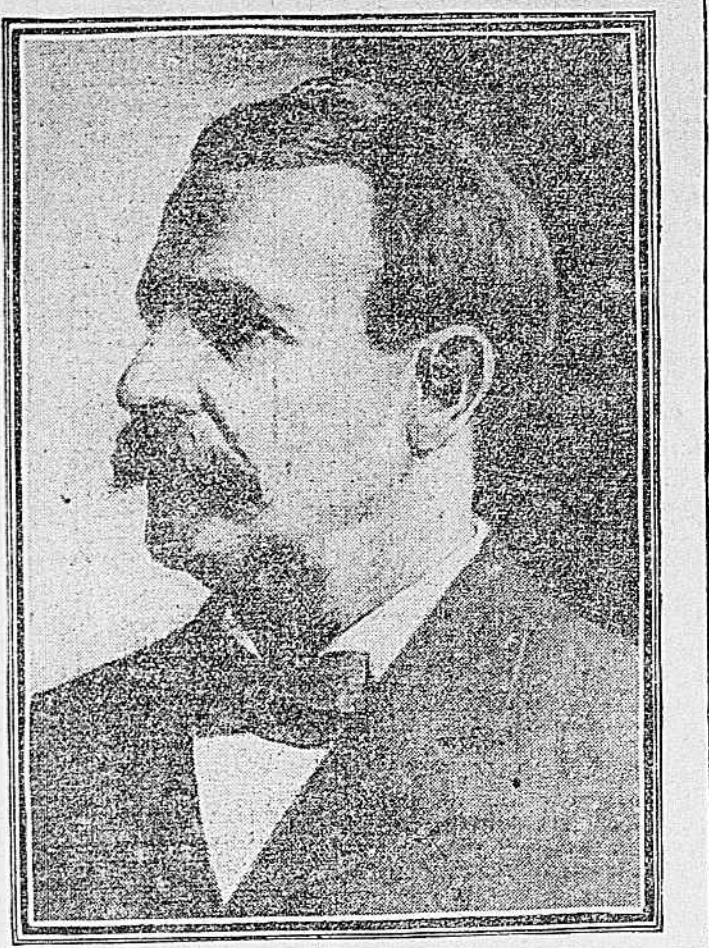
Oh, How Strange

It is that people will continually suffer extreme agony, as is the case with those who are troubled with Piles, when they can be permanently cured by the persistent use of

Primo Pile Preparation.

NEW CABINET MEMBER.

Latest Photograph of Henry C. Payne, Who Has Been Appointed to Succeed Charles Emory Smith as Postmaster General.



HENRY C. PAYNE.

The above is the latest photograph of the new cabinet member, Henry C. Payne, who will enter the office of Postmaster General in place of Charles Emory Smith on or after January 10, 1902. Mr. Payne is said to be a strong advocate of government ownership of railroads.

STATE NORMAL PRESIDENCY.

Such Speculation as to Successor to Dr. Robert Frazier.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
FAIRFAX, VA., Dec. 27.—A great deal of speculation is being felt here as the time grows near for the appointment of a president of the State Normal School by the Board of Visitors to Willis A. Jenkins, of Staunton, recently resigned, and whose resignation is to take effect February 1st. A meeting of the board has not yet been called, but it is learned that they will meet some time next month to elect a president to succeed Dr. Frazier.

A member of the board was seen yesterday by your correspondent, and when asked who he thought would get the position his reply was that he did not know, as nearly every member of the board had picked out a man for the position and that when the time came for the election of a president there will be a lively contest.

Among the many applications filed some of the most prominent mentioned are Prof. Bristol, of Nashville, Tenn., formerly of Petersburg; Prof. Jarman, of Washington county; Prof. Epps, of Missouri, formerly of Nottingham county; Prof. J. A. Chandler, of Richmond College; Prof. Willis A. Jenkins, of Staunton; Prof. J. H. Border, superintendent of public schools of Portsmouth, and it is learned upon good authority that Prof. Terns, a former member of the board, resigned so that he may become a candidate for the position.

No reason has yet been given out by Dr. Frazier for his sudden and unexpected resignation.

NORFOLK ELECTION CASES.

The Indictments Being Defective, the Accused Were Tried on Warrants.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 27.—The alleged fraud at the late Norfolk election case was on trial to-day before Police Justice Taylor, and Messrs. W. R. Trower, W. C. Fearar and J. H. Hyslop, judges at the Second Precinct, Fifth Ward, Brambling them with delaying voters, signing false returns and breaking the election law in various ways.

The accused were arraigned upon warrants recently presented by the grand jury, were declared to be defective and were quashed. Twenty-five witnesses were summoned by Attorneys Mallett and J. E. Heath, Jr., who represent the day faction candidates for the Legislature, Messrs. Bibb and Lambeth.

Nothing not already printed and reported appeared in the testimony. The accused said that the most of the testimony was favorable to their case. Commonwealth's Attorney Venable is prosecuting, assisted by Messrs. Heath and Mallett.

Judges D. Tucker Brooke and Thomas H. Wilcox and Messrs. D. Lawrence Groner and Ralph Riddleberger are for the defense. These two last named represent Mr. Trower, who, like his attorneys, is Republican in politics.

Two witnesses, whose testimony is regarded as important, had not been examined when the court adjourned and the case will be concluded to-morrow. The trial of others indicted upon similar charges will then be begun.

There are thirteen indictments in all.

PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING.

Mr. Willie Whitehead and Miss Della Carter Married Christmas Day.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
FARMVILLE, VA., Dec. 27.—Spring Creek Baptist Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Christmas Day, when Mr. Willie Whitehead, a prominent young and well-to-do farmer of Prince Edward county, led to the altar Miss Della Carter, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Carter, of Darlington Heights.

The church was handsomely decorated with mistletoe, ferns and evergreens. The bride was handsomely attired in a tailor-made suit of brown cloth and carried white carnations. Miss Maude Carter, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. Ernest Noel acted as best man.

The ushers were Messrs. John Crute and Lee Driskell. The waiters were: Miss Fannie Wells and Mr. J. E. Beach; Miss Bessie Franklin and Mr. Norvell Crute; Miss Maude Cobbs and Mr. Daniel Driskell; Miss Eva Baker and Mr. Benjamin Franklin; and Miss Mattie Crute and Mr. Will Woods.

Committee to reside at Washington and to interest itself in pushing the Pan-American railway project. Ex-Senator H. G. Davis, Manuel de la Cruz, Mexican Ambassador, Andrew Carnegie, Manuel Alvarez Galdames, Peruvian minister, and Antonio Lardiz Arga, minister of Guatemala.

To-morrow the Pan-American delegates and their families will make an excursion to view the valley drainage works. They will be banqueted at the works.

The Archbishop of Mexico invited the United States delegates to attend a religious function at the Basilica of the Virgin of Guadalupe next Sunday morning. Ex-Senator Davis accepted the invitation with the understanding that the American delegates would attend in a purely personal and unofficial capacity. All the other delegates will also attend. This act of the delegates from the United States has pleased the Clerical press.

CAPTAIN LEARY DEAD.

Was First Governor of Guam After It Became a United States Possession.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Navy Department to-day received the following telegram from Admiral Mortimer L. Johnson, commanding the Boston Navy-yard, dated to-day:

"Captain Richard P. Leary, U. S. N., died this morning at Marine Hospital, Chelsea."

Captain Leary was the first Governor of Guam after that island came into the possession of the United States. Captain Leary was held in high regard by his fellow-sailors because of the nerve he showed in the presence of two German warships in the harbor of Apia, Samoa, in 1898. Leary was in command of the little Admas, a third-rate vessel of antique type, and finding the Germans about to force an entrance in support of their own candidate for the Samoan chieftainship, he cleared ship for action, first placing himself in position to command either approach, and forbade any interference. He was not molested.

Captain Leary was appointed from Maryland and entered the naval service in 1890.

TRAIN RAN AWAY.

Engine and Forty Gondolas Loaded With Coal Piled Up—Four Killed.

(By Associated Press.)
SCRAWN, VA., Dec. 27.—An Ontario and Western Railroad coal train, drawn by engine 201, ran away on the heavy eighty-foot grade going down the mountain on the Scranton Division east of Pointe, Wayne county, to-day. Near Preston Park, in passing a switch track, it jumped the track, plunging into a ravine. The engine and forty gondola cars, all loaded, were piled in a mass. Four men were killed, as follows:

Engineer WHITTING, of Mayfield yard. Fireman CHAS. MILLARD, of Carbondale.

Two trainmen, names unknown. Conductor Smith escaped death, but is badly injured. The tracks were covered with sleet and snow, and the air brakes refusing to work, allowed the train to gain such headway that it ran down the mountain with terrible speed, passing Winwood at the rate of eighty miles an hour.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW WEDDED.

Married to Miss May Palmer at Nice on Yesterday.

(By Associated Press.)
NICE, December 27.—The civil ceremony of the marriage of Senator Chauncey M. Depew and Miss May Palmer took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the United States Consulate. The bride's witnesses were Baron Von Andre and Baron De-Cantalauz. The bridesmaids' witnesses were James Gordon Bennett and Count De Sers.

Among others present were Mrs. Palmer, Countess De Sers and Baroness Von Andre. Senator Depew was in excellent health. The bride was charmingly dressed.

The bride being a Catholic, there will be two religious ceremonies. The first will take place at Notre Dame and the second at the Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock in the morning and at noon to-morrow respectively, when ten blue-jackets from the United States cruiser Albany will form a guard of honor.

ACTED LIKE AN AMATEUR.

Beat Bill to Last Twenty-five Rounds Lasted Less Than One.

(By Associated Press.)
SAVANNAH, GA., Dec. 27.—Tommy Feltz, of Brooklyn, and Kid Henning, of Washington, fought a fight for the 12-pound championship before the Savannah Athletic Club to-night, the mill to be twenty-five rounds for a decision. Articles had been signed for straight Queensberry rules. At the ringside a dispute arose as to the terms. Henning conceded the demand, although in violation of the articles. The bout lasted less than one round. Henning was knocked down four times and took the count twice. After the fourth knock-down referee stopped the fight. Henning was tipped as a winner, but he acted like an amateur.

Report From General Chaffee.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 27.—The War Department has received a telegram from General Chaffee, at Manila, giving an account of an engagement near Lapad, Samar, in which Company E, Ninth Infantry, lost seven men killed and a number wounded.

The cablegram ran as follows:

"Killed: Sergeant John P. Swisher; Corporal James Gausman; Private John March. Wounded: Joseph A. Weigert, Geo. Bedford."

"Wounded: Captain Francis H. Schofield, slightly; Corporal John H. Russell; Privates Daniel L. McPherson, Geo. Claxton (severely), Arthur Bonham, Geo. Naams, later. No property lost (slightly); one other killed, one wounded driven from field; lost severely. Lang's detachment Philippine scouts arrived soon after, assisted caring for wounded and removing."

Wilson Will Not Retire.

States Emphatically That He Will Remain in Roosevelt's Cabinet.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 27.—The Cabinet met as usual to-day, but no business was transacted. The most positive denials are given of the story published to-day that Dr. C. O. Hurn, secretary of the Board of Agriculture, of Kansas, is to succeed Secretary Wilson. When the fact that Governor Shaw had accepted the tender of the Treasury portfolio was made public, the announcement was made that Secretary Wilson would remain in the Cabinet and to-day the same statement was reiterated at the White House in the most emphatic manner.

PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE.

Reports of Various Committees Approved on Yesterday.

(By Associated Press.)
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—The Pan-American conference at its session to-day approved a recommendation to the several governments of America on behalf of the Olympic games, as well as the reports of the Committee on Resources and Statistics and on Commerce and Reciprocity. The form of the latter was altered somewhat, giving its contents the form of a resolution rather than a mere recommendation. A new clause was added at the suggestion of Pablo Macedo, of Mexico, whereby the various governments will, within six months after the adjournment of the conference, send their ratifications of the commerce and reciprocity opinions to the Bureau of American Republics if they desire to adhere thereto.

President Ralga announced the following appointments made by him for a com-

For common sense read Benjamin Franklin.
For elegance read Virgil, Milton and Arnold.
For smoothness read Addison and Hawthorne.
For simplicity read Burns, Whitlitter and Bunyan.
For interest in common things read Jane Austen.
For humor read Chaucer, Cervantes and Mark Twain.
For the study of human nature read Shakespeare and George Eliot.
For choice of individual words read Keats, Tennyson and Emerson.
For loving and patient observation of nature read Thoreau and Walton.—Kansas City Star.

It Often Happens—

That kindly meant criticism takes on the form of a personal affront.
That women of fashion drop into extremes in attire which makes them unpleasantly conspicuous.

That men cause in themselves to be disliked through an overplus of reserve.

That women fail to appreciate the expense to which men are put in entertaining them.

That men appear to a disadvantage by taking too much notice of other men's affairs.

That we arrogate to ourselves a consequence not warranted by conditions.

That time spent in friendly advice is thrown entirely away.

That women carry their affection to a point when it becomes annoying.

That men change their minds on the merest whims.

That women place too high a value on a man's commendation.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Fire in Fulton.

Fire in Fulton last night destroyed the two-story frame building No. 3818 Third Street. The house was unoccupied and was owned by Edgar Gunn.

The fire was occasioned by sparks from a passing engine.

The fire had gained considerable headway when the alarm was sounded. Engine Company No. 8 responded on a still alarm and promptly extinguished the flames. The damage amounted to about \$200.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Ellis W. Stone.

Mr. Ellis W. Stone, a native of King and Queen county, died Thursday afternoon at his residence, No. 1115 Taylor Street, in the eighth year of his age. The funeral takes place from the residence at 10 o'clock this morning and the interment will be made in Riverview Cemetery.

Mr. Stone leaves a widow and six sons—Mr. W. B. Stone, of Washington, and Messrs. C. H. Stone, H. L. T. L. and C. E. Stone of this city.

rs. Mary E. Williams.

Mrs. Mary E. Williams died at 1:15 o'clock yesterday morning at her residence, No. 11 West Marshall Street, in the seventy-second year of her age.

The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock this morning from Monumental Church. Rev. William M. Clarke officiating. The interment will be made in Oakwood.

Funeral of Mrs. Hanks.

The funeral of Mrs. John E. Hanks, who died at her husband's residence, No. 11 West Main Street, Wednesday afternoon, took place yesterday afternoon from that place.

W. B. Tabb.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
AMELIA, VA., December 27.—The remains of William B. Tabb, son of the late Colonel William Tabb, of this county, and grandson of the late James B. Rutherford, have arrived in New York on the United States transport McClelland, from Guam, P. I. He died on the voyage in the Red Sea while returning home on a sick leave.

He was engaged in the United States Engineering Corps at Guam Landrom Island.

The remains reach Richmond the interment will be made in Hollywood Cemetery.

He is survived by his uncle, father and his aunt, Miss Hattie Tabb, of this county.

Cade Whitehead.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Dec. 27.—Former Chief of Police Cade Whitehead, of Pocahontas, Va., dropped dead this morning at Ennis from heart failure, aged fifty-five years. He was well known throughout the coal fields, and was a member of the Odd-Fellows, Pythians, Masons and other orders.

He leaves a wife and four children.

James R. Hughes.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
BRISTOL, VA., Dec. 27.—Mr. James R. Hughes, who formerly resided in Bristol, at who has been for the past two or three years, been connected with the Western Maryland Railway, was run over and killed by a train at Graysville, Md., a few days ago. He is survived by his wife and five children. He was a brother of Mr. John V. Hughes, of Bristol.

Mrs. Jessie Hargrave.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
CHATHAM, VA., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Jessie H. Hargrave, after a lingering illness, died at her residence at 2 o'clock to-day. She is survived by her husband, a brother, Philip Paine, of Halifax county, and a sister, Mrs. Yulle, of Campbell county. The burial will be in the town cemetery Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M.

C. C. Williams.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
BRISTOL, VA., Dec. 27.—Mr. C. C. Williams, a son of Captain and Mrs. W. F. Williams, died here this week, aged 38. His death resulted from consumption, contracted in Chicago a year ago. He resided in Richmond.

Mrs. Catherine Needles.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
WINCHESTER, VA., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Catherine Needles, aged 65 years, and a native of Winchester, died to-day in Baltimore. She was a Miss Senner, with which family Charles Broadway Rouse, the blind millionaire, spent his youth.

Charles F. Neale.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Dec. 27.—Charles F. Neale, a well known citizen, died this morning. He was about thirty-five years of age and unmarried.

Neale was a native of Alexandria, Md., and was well known throughout the State.

J. M. Green.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 27.—John Morgan Green, a former prominent citizen of Durham, who had been living in Mobile, Ala. the past few years, died suddenly there yesterday. The body was brought here and interred in the cemetery to-day.

Mrs. Annie Gianniny.

(Special Dispatch to the Times.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Annie Gianniny, wife of Mr. R. N. Gianniny, died yesterday at her home. She had been ill for nearly ten months with consumption. Her husband and two infant children survive her.

Mrs. Gianniny was the daughter of Mr. W. L. Hudson, of the Woolen Mills.

DEATHS.

TABB.—Died, while en route to the United States from Manila, WILLIAM B. TABB, son of William B. Tabb, of Amelia county, Va., and grandson of the late William Rutherford, of Richmond, Va.

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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

Bishop Gibson will confirm a class at the Episcopal Church at Barton Heights to-morrow.

Mrs. Walter F. Weller, of New York, is visiting her sisters, Miss Williams and Mrs. Watson Myers.

Mrs. Lelia Spencer, of Farmville, Va., is visiting Miss Vernice Stephens, No. 510 West Clay Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harold Armstrong, of Chicago, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Myers next week.

Mr. Walter F. Weller, of New York, returned Wednesday night, after spending several days with relatives in the city.

Mr. Walter F. Fisher, of Petersburg, Va., spent Christmas Day with his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. C. Sterne, No. 305 1-2 W. Marshall Street.

Sir Moses Ezekiel, who is at present in Cincinnati, has been entertained there by Mr. Alexander White, Professor of History at the Washington and Lee University and the distinguished author, is in the city on a visit to his father-in-law, Judge B. R. Wellford. Dr. White was a caller at the State Library yesterday.

The employees of the Richmond Traction Company on Christmas Day presented to Chief-Dispatcher Harris as a testimonial of their personal esteem a handsome rocking-chair, and to Superintendent Cowardin a gold badge.

WEEKS CO. AT Y. M. C. A.

Fourth Entertainment of the Course Last Night—Audience Fleeced.

The fourth entertainment of the ninth annual Y. M. C. A. course was given last night by the Edwin R. Weeks Company. The entertainers were Mr. Edwin R. Weeks, Miss Helen Elizabeth Weeks and Janet Ostrander. The programme was varied and one of the most attractive given at the Y. M. C. A. this season.

Some of the responses to the songs were so popular that the audience was made to laugh quite frequently. When encoered he responded with Janet Ostrander, the two singing a parody on the song, "Tell me, pretty maiden," which has made "Florence," running in the New York theatre, so popular. It was at this time that Mr. Weeks did his cleverest impersonating, in rapid succession changing from Mr. Bryan to Oom Paul Kruger, from Paul to "Chauncey the Peach," and then to Teddy Roosevelt.

Mr. Weeks' impersonation of Mr. Bryan was poor, because he gestated, and his impersonation of Mr. Bryan was poor, because he gestated, and his impersonation of Mr. Bryan was poor, because he gestated.

Mr. Bryan almost invariably wears a sack coat. If Mr. Bryan ever impressed anyone as anything it was with the dignity and manliness of his bearing at all times. The entertainment had a number of good points, however, and certainly seemed to please the fair-sized audience which witnessed it.

LEE CAMP ELECTS OFFICERS.

Those Placed in Nomination a Week Ago Chosen Last Night.

R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, C. V., held their regular meeting last night. Commander J. C. Dickinson presided. There was an unusually large attendance of members. The annual report of the commander and the committees show a very prosperous condition of affairs.

The officers elected for the last meeting were installed by Commander Dickinson. On motion of Comrade Randolph, a rising vote of thanks was returned to Commander Jos. C. Dickinson for the faithful and efficient services he had rendered, and the impartial manner in which he had presided over the camp during the year 1901. Commander Dickinson responded to the compliment in a very graceful manner.

New Year at Y. M. C. A.

New Year will be a lively day at the Y. M. C. A. There will be calendars, games in the gymnasium and an entertainment both in the afternoon and evening.